

**§§ 1260.580–1260.600**

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certification or eligibility determination shall be furnished to certified or eligible organizations and associations. Copies shall also be maintained on file in the Livestock and Seed Division office, where they will be available for inspection.

ment shall be kept confidential by all employees of the Department, except that the Secretary may issue general statements based upon the information collected from a number of different sources. These general statements will not identify any information as having been furnished by any one source.

**§§ 1260.580–1260.600 [Reserved]**

**§ 1260.610 Acceptance of appointment.**

Producers and importers nominated to the Board must signify in writing their intent to serve if appointed.

**§ 1260.630 Paperwork Reduction Act assigned number.**

The OMB has approved the information collection request contained in this subpart under the provisions of 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, and OMB Control Number 0581–152 has been assigned.

**§ 1260.620 Confidential treatment of information.**

All documents and information submitted to or obtained by the Depart-

**§ 1260.640 Application for Certification Form.**

The following official form, “Application for Certification of Association or Organization,” must be completed and submitted to the Department by eligible State organizations or associations seeking certification by the Secretary. This form may be reproduced.

**Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA**

**§ 1260.640**

Information is collected in order to determine eligibility of organizations or associations to nominate cattle producers to serve as members of the Board. Application is voluntary and information is held confidential (Beef Promotion and Research Act of 1985).

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE <b>APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION OF ORGANIZATION OR ASSOCIATION</b>	Form Approved OMB NO. 0581-0152 Expires 12-31-88
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Organizations or associations must apply for certification by the Secretary to be eligible to participate in the making of nominations of cattle producers to serve as members of the Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Board as provided in the Beef Promotion and Research Act of 1985. Information submitted in response to all items must be complete. Please type or print clearly. Send original only to: *Marketing Programs and Procurement Branch, Livestock and Seed Division, AMS, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Room 2610-S, Washington, DC 20250*

1. NAME AND ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION (Street address or P.O. Box No., City, State, ZIP)		2. TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Cattle Assoc. <input type="checkbox"/> General Farm Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) .....	
3. STATE		TEL. (AC.....) .....	
4. TOTAL PAID MEMBERSHIP (Most RECENT FULL calendar year) IN 198__ NO. _____	5. NUMBER OF PAID MEMBERS ENGAGED IN CATTLE PRODUCTION (Most RECENT FULL calendar year) IN 198__ NO. _____	6. TOTAL ESTIMATED INVENTORY OF CATTLE OWNED BY PAID MEMBERS (Most RECENT FULL calendar year) AS OF JAN. 1, 198__ NO. _____	
7. AS EVIDENCE OF THE STABILITY AND PERMANENCY OF THE ORGANIZATION, GIVE:			
A. No. of Years in Existence		B. No. of Paid Members during each of the last four calendar years:	
No. →		198__	198__
C. Other Evidence (Explain)		198__	198__

I hereby certify that: (1) a primary or overriding purpose of this organization or association is to promote the economic welfare of cattle producers, and (2) the information provided in response to the above items is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge. The Secretary of Agriculture may examine our books, documents, papers, records, files, and facilities to verify any of the information submitted and may procure such other information as may be required to determine this organization's or association's eligibility for certification.

8. NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION (Type or print)	9. DATE	10. SIGNATURE
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